

Bulletin – Parish News

Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish

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May 30, 2010. Solemnity of the most Holy Trinity.

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The first thing our parents taught us about our religion was most probably the sign of the cross. The last thing a priest will do at our graveside is making the sign of the cross over our body. A Christian's life is marked "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit". The revelation of God as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit tell us first of all what God is for us. But as to the mysterious unity of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we can only stammer with inadequate human concepts, which are not able to express the ineffable mystery of God in him. Human beings want to know. But we must realize that more important than knowing about God is knowing God, the way two beloved know one another! An intimate person-to-person relationship gives a knowledge, which cannot possibly be expressed in human terminology. It is that kind of knowledge of God, which ultimately satisfies a human being. "How deep are the riches and the wisdom and the knowledge of God! How inscrutable his judgments, how unreachable his ways.

Questions for reflection

"I was God's delight day by day, playing before him all the while."

- How does the child Wisdom influence your view of God?

The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

- Following the live, where do you find the most compelling portrait of God in your life?

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth."

- What avenues do you travel to arrive at the truth?

FAITH RESPONSE:

Reflect thoughtfully and honestly about the testimony of your life. Consider habits of anxiety, fear, anger, and impatience as counter-witnesses to the hope of Christianity.

HOLY MASSES

May 30, 2010. Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity.

9:00am Holy Mass for Trina Mendyk req. by Mendyk family.

+ James Volovski Jr. req. by Rose and Ted Ciulac.

11:00am Polska Msza Św. za parafian.

June 06, 2010. Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ.

9:00am Holy Mass for Alice Zandarski and Vincent Massimo req. by Kaiser family.

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Events and activities

Responsorial Psalm for today is: Lord, Our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

Pierogi Sale Sat., June 05, 2010. Volunteers are needed for Thursday June 03,10 from 7:00pm; Friday June 04, 10 and Sat. June 05, 10 to help prepare pierogis. Start time is 8:00AM for both days. You can place your order with Linda Zulkowski after church or by calling 201-7919272 on or before June 01, 2010.

I would like to thank all those who in any way participated in our Gift Action, to those who helped set up tables, to those who sold tickets and food, it could not have been done without you. A special thanks goes to Linda Zulkowski. Our Gift Action this year was very successful, we made \$1999,00. May God Bless you for all your continued effort for God's glory and the beauty of His Temple.

Memorial Candles will be available for the Father's Day. Memorial Cards are available in the Church vestibule. Memorial Candles may be designated in memory of deceased fathers, family members and friends. Memorial Cards should be returned by June 13, 2010.

2010 PNCC YOUTH CONVOCATION - *The Central Diocese of the PNCC will host this weeklong event on July 26 - 30th, 2010 at Monmouth University. The theme of this year's Convo is "Governed by God." The age group for the Convo is 12 to 18. Please contact Fr. Gregory as soon as possible.*

ACOLYTE RETREAT - Bishop Anthony Mikovsky and the clergy of the Central Diocese at their meeting on August 20, 2009, decided to organize Acolyte Retreat for the Central Diocese of the PNCC in summer of the year 2010. The retreat will be held from Tuesday, June 29 (noon), through Friday July 02 (noon) 2010 at the Bishop Hodur Retreat and Recreation Center, Spojnia Farm, Waymart, PA. The participants will have a great opportunity to pray together in order to know better our Lord Jesus Christ and to spend a wonderful time with "old" and "new" friends. The deadline for registration is June 06, 2010. Cost of retreat: \$65. Registration Forms and Information Sheet are at the parish office.

School is almost out and summer is right around the corner. That means it is time once again for the annual Kurs encampment. Kids imagine nine days of fun filled activities and an opportunity to see old friends and make new ones. Registration and drop off of campers will be Friday July 2nd at 3:00pm. Pick up of campers will be Saturday July 10th at noon. The event is open to all members of the church at a cost of \$190.00 per child. If you are bringing friend who is not a member of the church the cost is \$230.00. Camper Registration and Medical Forms are due back by Saturday June 12th, 2010.

Please pray for all the sick and shut-ins especially for: Barbara Nowicki, Caren Lagerstrom, Joseph Zavatsky, Edwin Zulkowski, Jean Manowiecki, Edmund Satulla, Bp. Anthony Rysz, Bp. John Swantek, Fr. Senior Eugeniusz Stelmach, Julia Paluszek, Theodore Ciulac, Catherin Zglobicki, Catherin & Frank Kusniesz, Wanda and Andrew Closterman, and all in need of our prayers.

Sacrament of Baptism: Arrangements should be made at least two weeks prior to the ceremony.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Arrangement should be made at least six months in advance. Contact the Pastor before setting a date or making final plans.

Emergencies, Sickness and Death should be reported to the rectory office immediately.

Welcome to Our Visitors - We welcome all our visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday! Please introduce yourself to the Pastor after Mass, please write your names in the guest book located in the vestibule of the church. Please remember that you are always welcome to join us in worship at Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish.

The BULLETINS for the month of May are donated by *Women's Guild for all mothers living and deceased.*

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